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Applicant(s): SHIMADA, et al.
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Group: 1614
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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October 23, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2003, please amend the
above-identified application as set forth herein. This paper includes the following
items:

Amendment to the Claims; and

Remarks.